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09/582,120	06/22/2000	Robert Liebi	12758-049US1	7874

TITLE OF INVENTION: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ESTABLISHING CONNECTION PATH IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK**

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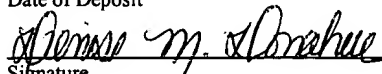
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